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SUBJECT: NSF/SFCP. TRAVEL OF NSF TEAM

1. MR. SELIM SELCUK, PROGRAM MANAGER, SFCP; DR. VYTAUTAS KLEMAS, PROGRAM ASSOCIATE, NSF/INT GENERAL PROGRAMS SECTION; DR. ARTHUR EZRA, PROGRAM DIRECTOR, NSF/DIVISION OF ENGINEERING; AND DR. HOWARD T. HARRENSTIEN, UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI, PLAN VISIT EGYPT FOR FOLLOWING PURPOSES:

A. DRS. EZRA AND HARRENSTIEV - TO EVALUATE AND ASSESS SOLAR ENERGY PROJECT CONDUCTED JOINTLY BY NEW MEXICO STATE UNIVERSITY AND NATIONAL RESEARCH CENTER IN CAIRO.

B. DR. KLEMAS - TO EVALUATE AND ASSESS REMOTE SENSING  
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PROJECT CONDUCTED JOINTLY BY OKLAHOMA STATE UNIV.  
AND EGYPTIAN ACADEMY OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY.

C. SELCUK - TO PARTICIPATE IN "A" AND "B"; SITE VISITS TO ONGOING SELECT PROJECTS; CONFER WITH STA AND DR. BADRAN CONCERNING REPEAT OF SFCP WORKSHOP AND

MAKE INITIAL PREPARATION, INCLUDING PROPOSED DATES (NSF PREFERS JANUARY OR FEBRUARY 1978 FOR SFCP WORKSHOP); CONFER WITH DR. ZUHEIR FARID AND OTHERS ABOUT NSF HEALTH SERVICE ARRANGEMENT AND CONCLUDE DISCUSSIONS FOR APPROPRIATE NSF ACTION; REVIEW FY 1978 PROGRAM WITH STA.

2. TEAM MEMBERS EXPECT ARRIVE CAIRO O/A OCTOBER 5, 1977. IF EMBASSY PERCEIVES NO OBJECTION, NSF APPRECIATE APPOINTMENTS WITH DR. BADRAN, MINISTER OF HEALTH; DRS. HADY AND EL-SHAZLI, ASRT; DRS. IBRAHIM SAKR AND MOSTAFA HAFEZ, NRC; PRESIDENT OR DEPUTY OF AMERICAN RESEARCH CENTER; DR. ZUHEIR FARID, EMBASSY PHYSICIAN.

3. HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS FOR FOUR SINGLES PREFERRED HILTON OR SHERATON FOR SELCUK 18 DAYS, ALL OTHERS 7 DAYS. TRAVELERS WILL CARRY NSF T.A. FOR DISBURSEMENT OF PER DIEM AND OTHER EXPENSES. DETAILED ITINERARY AND FLIGHT INFORMATION WILL BE CABLED AS SOON AS THEY ARE FINALIZED. VANCE

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